

VIEW AND REVIEW

There passed over the Lake Shore and Michigan Southern last month an empty freight train a little more than ten miles long.

The Railroad Gazette thinks that Hash Knife the last new P. O. in Texas, may be fairly held to balance Fried Liver, in Arizona.

They are asking who invented spectacles. It is on record that the Emperor Trajan viewed the games at Rome with a glass of some kind.

It appears from the annual report of the New York Cotton Exchange that 97 1/2 cent of the transactions there during the past year were of a purely speculative character.

The allopathic physicians of Philadelphia have agreed to collect bills monthly, or at the end of services in each case, and have employed a financial agent to attend to collections.

It is reported that the ocean steamship lines are about to form a combination for putting up steamer rates. The immigration to the United States is now at the rate of nearly 4,000 persons each week.

A census of Portugal was taken on Dec. 31, 1877, the previous one having been taken as far back as 1863. The total population is 3,745,124, as compared with 4,343,935 in 1863; and the total increase is 401,189.

A stalwart organ says that Blaide is as bad among the Confederate Brigadiers as a hornet in a drove of young horses. This may be true, but the horse is a useful animal while the hornet is a nuisance. — Brooklyn Eagle.

The excess of exports over imports for the month of April is only \$12,000,000 in round numbers, against \$24,000,000 for April of last year. Heavy purchases of foreign goods will probably account for much of the difference.

In a recent trial in England of a new safety brake, Smith's automatic, a train going sixty-five miles an hour, on a heavy down grade, was stopped in thirty seconds and four hundred yards, and on a level grade it held the length and time.

There is a young lady in Wilkes County, Ga., who was born blind, and who, it is said, can instantly detect color by the touch. When a child she could tell the name and color of her pet cats and chickens by simply laying her hand upon them.

The Pope expressed the wish to see Cardinal Newman first of all the creations, and on parting said: "I must give the Cardinal a proof of my most particular esteem and affection." Then placing Cardinal Newman's arm in his own he walked with him through the ante-chamber to the general waiting room. The Pope and Cardinal conversed chiefly in Latin.

Here is one of the beauties of the present protective tariff. Quinine, which is indispensable as a remedy for disease particularly prevalent in this country, is protected to the extent of \$720,000 a year for the benefit of two firms in Philadelphia, who monopolize the trade, and each of whom is said to be worth \$10,000,000. This is a bitter commentary on legislation and humanity.

The correspondent of the London Standard says that after having received at dinner at the Russian Embassy tidings of his election to the throne of Bulgaria, Prince Alexander the First—who is described as tall, good-looking, well-mannered, a good soldier, talker and dancer—repaired with some congenial friends to one of the swell cafes in the Unter-den-Linden, Berlin, and had a jolly celebration of the great event of the day.

There has been a terrible loss of camels in the Afghan campaign. Already the trade between India and Central Asia will be crippled simply for want of means of carriage during the next few years. Thousands of camels have perished from overwork and bad forage; and as these had been got together at high prices and with great difficulty, it is easy to understand the inconvenience that will be occasioned on the frontier.

In his address on Decoration Day in New York, Gen. Schuyler Hamilton took the trouble to apologize for a speech which he made last year in which he encouraged the practice of decorating the grave of the Blue and the Grey alike, and declared that those words were spoken in a fit of sentimental generosity aroused by misrepresentations of the prominent Rebels. He urged that no member of the Grand Army Post he was addressing might lay a flower on the grave of a Rebel. They were traitors in 1861; they are traitors now. All winter long they have been plotting treason in the halls of Congress. Gen. Hamilton's sentiments are certainly extreme, but it is fair to say he represents the majority of the Republican party of the North.

DEMOCRATIC NOMINATIONS IN OHIO.

The Democratic State Convention, which assembled at Columbus, Ohio, yesterday, for the purpose of nominating candidates for State officers, selected the following ticket: For Governor, General Thomas Ewing; Lieutenant-Governor, Amicus V. Rice; Treasurer, Anthony Howell; Judge of the Supreme Court, W. J. Gilmore; Attorney General, S. Pillars.

Generals Ewing and Rice, who lead the list as candidates for Governor and Lieutenant-Governor, respectively, are both very able and very popular men. Gen. Ewing is a Greenback Democrat, and both have an honorable military record, which will be decidedly to their advantage, as Foster, the nominee of the Republican party, kept himself safely at home during the "unpleasantness" of the war.

The Greenbackers also held their nominating convention at Columbus yesterday, and selected Gen. A. Saunders Pitt as their candidate for Governor, and Hugh Prior for Lieutenant-Governor. There was but a small delegation present, and the convention was far from being harmonious. The financial planks in the Democratic and Greenback platforms are much alike in their principal features, and the nominations by the latter party will consequently draw no votes from the Democracy while they will undoubtedly gather in a large number from the Republican ranks.

This is another advantage gained by the Democrats, and one which they will not fail to make as profitable as possible. The struggle will be a severe one, but the plan of the campaign as organized yesterday by the Democrats is excellent and bespeaks future success. The first step was wisely taken, and the work—hard and earnest and incessant work—of the campaign is before them. We have but few fears for the result, for Ohio is bound to remain in the Union.

THE DEMOCRATIC OUTLOOK.

The cheering indications come bounding upon us from every quarter of the country that the glorious old Democratic party is steadily gaining in popular favor and is destined to a great victory in 1890. The conduct of Hayes and his Republican allies during the present extra session of Congress makes assurance doubly sure that the great cause of popular right and of constitutional liberty, as exemplified in the principles and course of the Democracy, will triumph nobly next year, and thus secure the perpetuity of our popular form of government. The main issues will be the right of local self-government, of fairness and equality of taxation, of the freedom and sovereignty of the ballot box against a centralized government, the interference of the military in elections at the ballot box, and an unjust and odious discrimination in taxation and finance, together with other measures that tend to make the poor poorer and the rich richer.

The untried masses are evidently becoming alarmed at the course of the Republican party, and neither the nomination of Grant or Sherman, or of any other Radical leader, can stay the mighty, increasing, overwhelming, thundering voice of the people for a change of the administration, and for a return to those cardinal doctrines of the greatest good of the greatest number, and for constitutionally secured rights and general prosperity that have ever constituted the objects, ends, doctrines and practices of the Democratic party. Courage then, friends! The omens for 1890 are bright, and brightening. The political issues are every way encouraging. With a Democratic President and a Democratic Congress next year, as we hope we shall surely have, the country will be safe, the constitution will be preserved, and an era of confidence and prosperity will be inaugurated such as has not been seen since the advent to power of the sinking party that now relics, as heretofore, on the bayonet.

There is no longer any doubt in regard to the safety and probably also of the complete success of the North Pole expedition under Professor Nordenskjold. He attempted that great geographical feat by proceeding from West to East, and sailed in July last from the Scandinavian Peninsula. He soon reached the extreme headlands of Siberia, and was there icebound for a long time that fears were entertained in regard to the safety of the expedition. At last a dispatch has been received that the Professor, on board his vessel (the Vega), was about to enter Behring's Straits, whence she would return to Gothenburg, via Yokohama and the Suez Canal.

Nothing New—Lorillard vs. the Clydes.

A telegram has been published stating that a suit has recently been brought in New York, to dissolve the Philadelphia and New York Steam Navigation Company, of which Thomas and William P. Clyde and Jacob Lorillard are the principal stockholders. This contest—which has so suddenly obtained such widespread publicity, has been going on for the past three years, and has, we are informed, been before fifteen different Judges, in various

forms, and in every instance, except one, was decided in favor of the Clydes and in that case they obtained a reversal of judgment on appeal. Lorillard has some notoriety in this section, acquired several years ago when he put on an opposition to the Old Dominion Steamship Company. He then made profuse promises of what he would do for our people, especially for the truckers, but suddenly, and in many unaccountable ways, withdrew the line, without even warning his agent in this city of his change of base or what induced the change. It has been openly charged here that he came to levy blackmail, and having accomplished his purpose he withdrew and sought another section for his enterprise.

His next movement was to start an opposition to the Clydes between New York and Philadelphia. Here he went for wool but is now claiming to have been shorn. After the two lines had been in operation for some time, Lorillard proposed that the Clydes should take him in with them, and a consolidation was effected. He now states he has been completely taken in. Below we give the statement of Mr. Clyde as published in the New York Sun:

In regard to starting the Steam Navigation Company, Mr. Clyde says that Mr. Lorillard, after trying to destroy Wm P. Clyde & Co's business, proposed to consolidate. Mr. Lorillard's vessels—the Vindicator and the Fanita—were valued at \$170,000, and Wm P. Clyde & Co's vessels at \$130,000. The capital stock was to be \$300,000 and Mr. Clyde was to pay to Mr. Lorillard \$20,000. The agreement shows, Mr. Clyde asserts, that the allegation that the vessels were to be navigated solely between New York and Philadelphia is erroneous. Mr. Lorillard once tried to get a majority of the stock, Mr. Clyde says, and offered Mr. Lane \$10,000 for his one share, but it was refused, and he afterward failed to get a mandamus in order to get access to the company's books. "Every allegation of Lorillard of fraud, evil practice, or evil intent on the part of Wm P. Clyde & Co in conducting the business of the corporation is untrue," Mr. Clyde says. "If there was any violation of the statutes of the State, it was wholly unintentional, for which Mr. Lorillard was equally responsible with other officers and directors."

Another case in the courts, closely connected with the action against the company, is one in which Amos Rogers, William P. Clyde's former confidential clerk, was placed under \$60,000 bail on a charge of embezzlement, a few weeks ago. Jacob Lorillard was the bondsman. The amount in default is said to be \$30,000. Mr. Rogers was formerly secretary of the Pacific Mail Steamship Company. He asserts that the amount is estimated from the percentage on commissions, which he was allowed by an agreement made by Thomas Clyde, and sanctioned by William P. Clyde. In regard to Mr. Rogers, Mr. Clyde says, in his answer in the suit against the Steam Navigation Company: "Rogers has been, as I am informed and believe, for a long time in communication with Lorillard, for the purpose of promoting his views as against me and my firm, on an agreement that in consideration thereof Lorillard would become surety for Rogers in any suit by Wm P. Clyde & Co against Rogers by reason of Rogers having embezzled a large amount of money belonging to Wm P. Clyde & Co. Rogers, I have lately learned, had conferences with Lorillard, or with persons in his behalf, and was engaged in carrying off from the office of Wm P. Clyde & Co and the corporation books and papers, and entering the office on Sundays, at night, after business hours, and early in the morning before business hours."

The steamer Vindicator was lost on the coast of Long Island last winter. The Fanita is at Philadelphia. The company has six or seven small propellers running between New York and Philadelphia on the inside route, and several vessels are chartered by the company.

The principal charge made against the Clydes is that they illegally withdrew a boat or boats from the Philadelphia and New York line to run on other routes, controlled entirely by themselves. This we presume refers to the steamer 'Vindicator,' which being especially adapted to the trade was, at earnest solicitation of the Agent of the Clydes, in this city, put on the route, during the busiest season, when the agent here feared that the small boats running between Norfolk and Philadelphia would be unable to accommodate the trade; but owing to her large size the boat was never half loaded and therefore could not have made much money on this line.

So much for the much talked of action of Jacob Lorillard against the Clydes. Let the reader judge between them.

Norfolk Virginian. Handsome Compliment to Col. Lamb. The Fredericksburg News, alluding to the address of our fellow-citizen, Colonel Lamb, before the Episcopal Council, which lately held its session in that hospitable city pays him the following handsome compliment. It says: Col. Lamb of Norfolk, one of the signers of the minority report, in a few well-chosen words responded to Judge Sheffey's harangue, disclaiming any feeling but that of love and reverence for his bishop, announcing himself as among the lowest of low churchmen, but that he did not consider the use of flowers as wrong; and in a voice as sweet as the flowers, his calm and graceful delivery adding clear emphasis to his words, he argued against the power and the right to censure and denounce such observance as ritualistic. His idea, like that of Mr. Armstrong's, seemed to be, 'In essential obedience; in essentials, liberty.' The congregation of St. Paul's may well feel proud of their representative.

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